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Subject: new threat to westfield river-DEP:safe yield

.The middle branch of the Westfield river was a great trout fishing experience before Littleville Dam. Now I look at it at low flow and it saddens me. Do we need to save our reservoirs at this expense. The dam is poorly designed, it should have been bottom release, not top. All we get is warm summer water that is not good for fish habitat, yet it is stocked every year.

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